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Telegraphic Address Press. Telephone No. 12. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. BELAMA TIN MINING COMPANY. LIMITED.

inst., and has inspected the COMPANY'S WORK the 7th proximo. at Terma (Kinta) and Blanda Mason. His preliminary report can now be seen by Shareholders at the HEAD OFFICE, No. 6, CON-NAUGHT HOUSE.

> By Order of the Board, W. HUTTON POTTS. Secretary.

Hongkong, 29th April, 1891. HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

COMPETITION for the "FAKI" CUP will be held on SATURDAY next, year 1890 has been declared. Warranta may the 2nd prox, commencing at 3.15 P.M. Ranges be had on application at the Office of the Society 200 and 300 yards; Seyen Shots Standing at 200 yards, and Seven Shots Kneeling or Sitting at 900 yards. Entrance Fee 30 cents. A Launch will leave the P. & O. Pier at 2.45 P.M. to convey Competitors. FRANK COLLINS.

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 29th April, 1891.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

FIRE following is published for General

Information :--Owing to the centinuance of the drought and the very Limited Supply of Water available for distribution, on and after WEDNESDAY next, ROAD CENTRALS . HONGRONG. for 60,000 \$1 the WATER will only be TURNED ON to Shares bearing a right to a Cumulative Preferential Dividend of 12 per cent. the mains in the Several Streets hereafter mentioned during ONE HOUR in the day. As it is considered probable that the water in the Holders of the said Preference Shares shall many districts will not attain a sufficient height be entitled to have the Surplus Assets of the to supply House Service Pipes, several Small Company applied in the First Place to repay-Fountains have been fixed from which it is intended thewatershould for the most part bedrawn.
The positions of the Fountains already fixed are
shewn in columns I and 2 of the accompanying
table. Column 4 shews the hours during which

Application forms are to be obtained from the water will be turned on in the several districts. and to be sent in to the Company's Bankers. Tenements situated above the Robinson Road the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking will, until further notice, be unable to obtain Componation, in Hongkong, on or before water direct from the conduit. Fountains haves TUESDAY, the 5th MAY, 1891, accompanied by been fixed along the Robinson Road for the Payment of \$1 per Share for each Share applied purpose of rendering the water as readily ac- for. cossible to the residents in this district as is practicable.

By Command, W. M. DEANE. Acting Colonial Secretary.

The following table shows the position of Fountains already fixed and those intended to be fired in the course of a few days. EASTERN DISTRICT.

POSITION. Jar.'s Bazzar Market Lung On St. Praya East No. 2 P. Station Wanchai Road Queen B Rd. E. Metcher St. Morrison Hill No: 3 P. Station St. Francis St. Spring Gardens Tai Wong Lane

Tai Wong St. Wanchai Market Wing Fung St. Warehai Road School CENTRAL DISTRICT. " Position.

STREET.

FIXED. TO BE FIXED. Bridges Street Ladder Street Caine Road

Peel Street Casile Road Seymour Road Arbuthnot Rd. 6-7 a.m. Hollywood Rd. Sing Wong St. L'harst T'race Cochrane St. Pottinger St.

Market Street Tank Lane
Praya Central Harbour Office Lai Yuen St. Queen's Ed. C. H. K. S. Bank 7-8 a.m., Jubilee Street ,,

Pottinger St. Wyndham St. Robinson Road Castle Road Mosque Junction Peak Road Peel.Street Richmond Bd. Shelly Street Mosque Street Square Street Tank Lane Aberdsen St., 7-8 a.m.

Wellington St. — Wing-lok St. Cleverley St. Hillier Street Market Morrison St. WESTERN DISTRICT.

To be fixed. Bosham Road Nullah side Centre Street 6-7 s.m. | 7980/8004. Holland Street Butherland St. . Queen's Rd. W. Contre Street Eastern Street

Ao. 7P. Station Shektongsni Richmond Ed. 7.8 a.m. (1074 SOCIETE ANONYME AU CAPITAL DI Hongkong, 29th April, 1891. FOR SHANGHAL THE Steamship

Captain F. Boliulz, will be despatched for the LVL above Port TO-DAY, the 29th inst., at 4 P.M., tions do l'assemblée générale ordinaire en For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, 28th April, 1891. STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY

Calling at COLOMBO if sufficient inducement offers. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship ".MAZIN

Captain G. Langborne, will leave for the above Places on MONDAY, the 4th May, at Noon. E. L. WOODIN.

Superintendent. 1073 at the National Exhibition, 1890, and the Hongkong, 28th April, 1891. THE THREE BEST BRANDS

COTCH TATHIBEY are Shipped to Hongkong

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Summer months.

Hongkong, 11th April, 1891.

Houghong, 25th April, 1891.

on and after the 6th MAY.

Hongkong, 25th April, 1891

INTIMATIONS.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned will LET FURNITURE,

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE,

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS.

CANTON, LIMITED.

By the order of the Board.

NOTICE.

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA

SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY.

LIMITED.

OF \$1 EACH FULLY PA.D.

In the event of the Company being wound up

By Order of the Board.

-HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM-

WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given, That in pursuance

gers, an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING

of SHAREHOLDERS of this COMPANY is

son be appointed General Manager of the Com-

pany in the place of Messrs. MACEWEN, FRICKEL

MacEwen, Frickel & Company in Article 6 of the Articles of Association and inserting

the words "James Anderson" therein in the

Hongkong, 25th April, 1891.

Dated at Hongkong this 24th day of April,

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY,

LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given, That in accordance

"Any SHARE in respect of which all the Instal-

ments shall not have been paid on or before the

16TH DAY OF JANUARY shall be FORFEITED.

and any shares so forfeited shall be deemed the

absolute property of the Company and may be re-allotted or otherwise disposed of, as the Ge-

neral Managers shall determine, and any mem-

bers whose shares shall have been forfeited shall

of such shares at the time of forfeiture."

836/885.

1481/1530,

2522/2611. 2622/2651. 2657/2676.

2758/2767, 2780/2829, 2835/2839,

Hongkong, 27th April, 1891.

161/1220

1676/1690.

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4669/4718.

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8-9 s.m.

notwithstanding such forfeiture, be liable to pay to the Company all Instalments due in respect

By virtue of this Resolution 7.014 Shares on

911/960.

556/780.

1371/1430

1755/1764

2037/2046.

2697/2752

2850/2854

3405/3484

3880/4179

4599/4658

5321/5360

6202/7001

7296/7845

7831/7955

8292/8321

BEER.

which calls are due were forfeited as per follow-

1246/1295, 1321/1345,

1700/1702, 1715/1744,

1880/1944. 1970/2024.

2262/2311, 2362/2431,

3130/3229, 3330/3379,

3640/3704, 3730/3804,

4855/4884, 4500/4561

4794/4808. 4816/5295

5384/5408, 5581/6166,

7076/7190, 7196/7205,

7641/7670. 7701/7730.

8145/8216, 8222/8281,

8322/9296, 9361/9873, 9386/9-80, 9911/10000

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AU TONKIN.

1,440,000 Frs.

AVIS AUX ACTIONNAIRES.

M LES ACTIONNAIRES sont in

date du 31 Mars, 1891, les coupons de l'exercice.

Aux guichets de la Hongkong and Shang-

HAI BANKING CORPORATION à Hongkong du

Au Siège Social a Hapoi à dater du 9 Avril.

THE PUREST BEER BREWED IN

JAPAN.

DIRECTORS.

C. J. Strome

H. Heckert, Chief Brewer

W. Walker, Secretary.

AGENTS FOR HONGKORG,

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong. 17th February, 1891. [1-159

TOORTLAND CEMENT

J. B. WHITE & BROS.

Uongkong, 11th Auril 1883.

SOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA.

HOLLIDAY WISE & Co.

formés que conformément aux Résolu-

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

General Managers.

Extraordinary General Meeting of the Share-

holders of the above Company on the 3rd day

with the Special Resolution passed by an

MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.,

General Managers.

same places.

Company, and for striking out the words

hereby called for THURSDAY, the Seventh

of a request made to the General Mana-

Hongkong, 24th April, 1891.

A. O'D. GOURDIN.

Secretary.

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PPLICATIONS will be received at the

COMPANY'S OFFICE. No. 9. QUEEN'S

L &c., for PEAK RESIDENCES for the

ACHEE & Co.

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Secretary.

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INTIMATIONS.

TOTAL ABSETS ON 1ST JANUARY, ? \$115,947,800 **\$**569,338,726 \$ 14,898,450 BIRLEY DALHYMPLE & Co., Agents, Hongkong.

ZETLAND

REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMA-SONS' HALL, Zotland Street, on FRIDAY, the lat MAY, at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brothren are cordially invited. Hougkong, 23rd April, 1891.

经线 GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

TNFORMATION has been received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that from the BATTERIES at LYEMUN in a Southtrom the Batteries at Lyemun is a second from the Batteries and Stone Cutters Island in Westerly and South Westerly directions, on CALDRECK, MACGREGOR & Co. Established 1864 All Ships, Junks and other Vessels are cautioned to keep clear of the ranges. By Command:

W.M. DEANE. Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, 22nd April, 1891.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

INFORMATION has been received from the MILITARY ANTHORITIES that ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place from the BATTERY at BELCHEE'S POINT, on the 29th and 30th instant, between the Hours of 10 A.M. and I P.M. The line of fire will be in a North-Westerly direction from the Battery. All Ships, Junks and other Vessels are cantioned to keep clear of the range.

W.M. DEANE. Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, 25th April, 1891.

By Command:

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AUCTIONS. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions PUBLIC AUCTION on SATURDAY, the 2od May, 1891. at 2.30, P.M.,

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Two COTTAGE PIANOS by Collard and Colland. One HARMONIUM One Central Fire DOUBLE BARRELLED One REVOLVER RIFLE.

TERMS OF SALE—As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG Auctioneer. Hongkong, 28th April, 1891.

PUBLIC AUCTION MILLINERY, DRAPERY, AND HABERDASHERY.

FUTHE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on SATURDAY, the 2nd MAY, 1891, commencing at 2:30 R.M. at his Sales Rooms, Duddell, Street, A countity of MILLINERY AND DRAPERY, &c., &c.,

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Houghong, 3rd May, 1889. T-T ONGKONG&SHANGHAIBAN-KING CORPORATION. RESERVE FUND \$6,806,596.31 -RESERVE LABILITY OF PROP TOR \$9,296,677.07

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Hongkong, 12th March, 1887. NOTICE.

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1.-The business of the above Bank will be

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8.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having 1069 3100 or more at their oredit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang-hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at δ per cent. per annum interest.
4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their

daily balances.
5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of by month; it is of Superb quality and of January and beginning of July.

Current Parsons & Co's Reference. 6.-Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked ON HONGKONG BAVINGS BANK BUSINESS is forwarded free by the various 351 British Post Offices in Hongkong and China 7,-Withdravels may be made on demand, I TONGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS his Pass-Book are necessary. For the HORGEONS AND SHANGHAI BARK-

. ING CORPORATION. F. DE BOVIS. Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, 1st January, 1891.

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The Hongkong Dispensary,

21st January, 1891.

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ARRIVALS. Apr. 27, MARTE, German steamer, 704, A. Hundewadt, Newchwang 21st April, Beans and General. - WIELER & Co. Apr. 27. Stam, British steamer, 991. John M.— Tulloch, Bangkok 21st April, Rice.—

Apr. 28, PEKING, German str., 994, Schultz. Whampos 28th April, General -- SIEMSSEN Apr. 28, Fushum, Chinese str., 1,503, A. Croud. Whampon 28th April, General.-C. M. S.

Apr. 28, Benlarig, British steamer, 1,456, S. Boutellier, Whampes 28th April, General. -GIBE LIVINGSTON & Copr. 28, Don Juan, Spanish steamer, 654. R. Beltran, Menila 25th April, General.-

BRANDAO & Co. pr. 28. CLYDR, British steamer, 4,136. J. L. Parfitt, R.N.R., Shanghai 25th April .--Mails and General. P. & O. S. N. Co. Apr. 28, KWANG-LEE, Chinese steamer, 1,506. R. L. Lincoln, Shanghai 24th April, Ge-

neral,-CHINESE. Apr. 28, HAIPHONG, British str., 1,120, Harris. Mozi 22nd April, Coals and General.-Dou-GLAS LAPRAIR & CO. Apr. 28, Thales, British steamer, 819. Hunter, Taiwanfoo 23rd April, Amoy 24th, and Swatow 27th, General.—Douglas LAFRAIK

Apr. 28, Loire Inferieure, French str., 543, Viand, Saigon 24th April Rice. - CHINESE. Apr. 28. McLaurin, Amr. ship, 1,313. F. L. Oakes, New York 30th April, Petroleum.—

Apr. 28, Kongo, Japanese cruiser, Captain S. Hitaka, Singapore 19th April. pr. 28.St. James, Amr. bark, 1.487, W. D. Burnham, Shanghai 21st April, Ballast .--RUSSELL & Co.

CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.

28TH APRIL. Phra Chula Chim Klas, British str., for Saigon Benlaria, British str., for Wubu. Chases, British str., for Saigon. Polluz, German str., for Eaigon .-Bantam, Dutch str., for Saigon.
Diamond, British str., for Amoy.

DEPARTURES. Apr. 28, Achilles, British str., for London. Apr. 28, BENLARIO, British str., for Wubu. Apr. 28, Diamond, British str., for Amoy. Apr. 28, FRIGGA, Garman str., for Yokohama. Apr. 28, HAITAN, British str., for Coast Ports. Apr. 28 GRABAN, German str., for Saigon.

Apr. 28, VBARDY, British str. for Whampon.

Apr. 28, a RIE, German str , for Whampon. Apr. 28, Pollux, German str., for Snigon.

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PASSENGERS. Per Clyde, etc., from Shanghai - Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Leong, Misses J. Abbott, M. Jackson, Messrs. W. Eyre, H. A. Ritchie, A. Forsyth, L. Anderson, Yuan Shing Tast, W. G. Robertson, and Hickman. Per St. James, bark, from Shanghai,-Mr. C.

PASSENGERS BOOKED FOR HONGKONG. Per P. &O. steamer Massilia, from Gibraltar, March 19.-Lieut C. S. Taylor From Brindisi .-- Mr. W. Graham. Per P. & O. steamer Carthage, from London. 12956 April 3.-Mr. and Mrs. Lapraik, Capt. D. G. Fowler, Mr. A. Barrow, Mr. Ellis, Sub-Lieut." W. R. Willis, Mr. E. Hensley. Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Saghalier,

from Marseilles, April 5 .- Messes Hall and A. Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Oxus. from Marseilles, April 16 .- Mr. E. W. S. Krim Per P. & O. steamer Victoria, from London. April 17 .- Mr. A. G. Wileman, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Powell and two children. Per P. & O. sleamer Peshawar, from London.

April 23 .- Mr. H. Rimmington. VISITORS AT HOTELS. HONGHONG HOTEL .- Messra. C. Murray Adam, W. M. Aleport, R. M. Ball, Geo. Beesley, C. P. Bennett, Miss Bruhn, Capt. and Mrs. Cavendish and family, Messrs. T. Cowen, E. H. Finch, Mrs. Gaskell, Messrs. Charles E. Grant, N. P. Harris, Mrs. Heathcote, Miss Hickson, Mr. and Mrs. McCalmont Hill, Mr. and Mrs. E: Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. E. Kniser, Miss E. Macintyre, Measrs. J. Newcome, J. H. Ormerod Miss Palmer, Mr. Paterson, Mrs. Quigley, Messrs. W. Robinson, W. Rnys, jun., Major Selfe, Mrs. Belfe, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour, moderate in price, excellent in quality, a great Messrs Shaw, H. C. Shekell, C. A. Sherring, B. Brown Smith, W. P. Symonds, Capt. W. H. Thompson, Mosers. W. E. Thorne, Tuck. VICTORIA HOTEL -Messrs, L. Anderson Fred. Borenemann, J. E. Brown, Fred. H. Ewer, N. Font, H. C. D. Frampton, Capt. Gettey, Capt. J. H. Hoar, Mr. Allan Jones, Dr. Maye, Mesers Noah, J. Pender, Dr. Rabe, Mr. A. F. Ramsay, Mr. and Mrs. John Rich, Miss Rich, Mr. W. Ritchie, Miss Salter,

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Hongkong, 14th April, 1891.

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At Shanghai, on the 22nd April, WILLIAM ABBAM

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Hongkong, April 29th, 180.

Under the new Postsi Convenion between England and France it is provided that the French mail steamers an still to longer termed the status of a mai-of-war. British mail steamers are to enjoy he same option of one month's imprisonment. status in the ports of France, so that to this extent there is complete reciproity, but steamers call is Marseilles. The privilege, inflicted in each case.

several occasions having obstructed or disallowed such search. It is provided in the ling allowed, and an excellent performance there new Convention that the local authorities | should be a crowded house. may claim the expulsion from on board of warrant for any crimes or offences who may to be observed is that notice is to be given to the Cousul of the hour at which the The Kobe paper says that the island search is to be made. It is further provided Tsushima, near Korea, is eager to secure colonists. that the search shall not delay the departure marine products, while there is plenty of arable SHANGHAI SPRING RACE MEETING. of the vessel for more than an hour after land, besides vest forests only waiting the advent the time of departure fixed in the time of labour to become highly productive. At pretables of the Company (which are to be duly adhering to their primitive methods of agriculture communicated by the respective Companies do not know how to make the best of the advantexception can be taken; for every one must is evidently plenty of room there for much inrecognise the importance of not unnecessarily delaying the mails. In order to secure

are to give bonds to satisfy the legal conse-

the captains of their packets or by the com-

quences of any liability incurred either by

nanies themselves. One of the objections taken to the giving to petition the Throne to sanction the forming of a man-of-war status to foreign mail stea. The ores are pronounced to be superior to those mers was the prestige it was supposed to from the Kaiping Mines. confer on those vessels as compared with British merchant vessels. Whether this Kores are showing considerable enterprise. prestige has any actual commercial value in navigation company called the Saitsu Kaisha whatever it may be worth it will remain un- ed amount of capital has prevented them as der the new Convention very much what it yet owning any vessels, but some time ago Mr. was before, and in the event of war the favoured vessels will enjoy a very substantial the Shoju-mara, a sailing vessel. She has made advantage. Article IX. provides that 'Ih the case of war between the two nations the packets of the two Administrations and Gensan. shall continue their navigation without impediment or molestation until a notifica-"tion is made on the part of either of the "two Governments of the discontinuance "of postal communications, in which case and under special protection, to their reother vessels at a time when the relations between France and England were strained. the steamers of the P. and O. and Messageries Maritimes would enjoy a safe con-

of the Convention specially affects Hongkong. and that is as regards the sorting of the French mails on board the steamers. was-thought that this question had been settled nearly two years ago. The promised facilities were, however, withdrawn in Febrnary, 1890, the Director-General of French Posts and Telegraphs writing as follows :-"In consequence, however, of the abandonment of the Anglo-French Postal Con-"vention of the 24th September, 1856, it stream and the risk their papers and other be-"has seemed proper to postpone the carry-"ing out of the works contemplated on when the reads have been flooded several of his "board our said packets till the conditions "of the favoured régime which shall be "applicable in future to mail packets touch, man or beast. To proceed by steamer would in "ing at the ports of the two countries "shall have been settled by mutual agree-"ment between the Governments of France delays they have had to undergo in former years "and Great Britain." The "conditions of the favoured régime" having now been Granted. determined, the French Administration will no doubt be willing to renew its offer in time would be worth the cost in money. the opposite direction. Before concluding

meantime have undergone some change.

H.B.M.'s Consul at Chinking, is going home on twelve months' leave, and Mr. A. Allen of

Amoy takes his place. Liu Chin-t'ang, Governor of Kansub and the New Dominion, has been obliged by the death of his grandmether to resign his appointment and retire into mourning.

The General Managers (Messrs. Jardine, pere at 6 p.m. on the 27th inst for this port.

losses sustained by teamen last year, very little Chartreuse Dr. Siegert's Amostura business is done. The prospects of the trade Bitters, de. are not very promising this year.

An Osaka paper says that the sugar crop

Recently one of the Chinese patients in the Malapi Latate hospital was heard screaming, and on the apothecary enquiring the cause it was found that a snake had coiled round the man's neck during his sleep. The snake escaped but the man died of fright.-North Borneo Herald.

Chan Kai against whom there were a numher of previous convictions, was charged at the enjoy an exceptional status, though it is no Police Court yesterday with conveying certain articles to a prisoner in the Gaol. Defendant admitted the charge and was fined \$10 with the

for fugitive criminals or debtors is clearly the Kabukisa at Tokyo, a sum which averages Cathedral, but merely as empowering the dom- the letter. The first paragraph as that I might have attended the finenced by such a paragraph as that. The ing strength and ability. Now, gentlemen, you the naturalis at long, a sum which averages Categoral, but merely as empowering the comlong year, which therefore yield him cessary to remove misapprehentions as to the public, whatever may be the but until that letter is withdrawn I can give you
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commanders of the French mail steamers on i. The last Assault at Arms of the senson of the Lorne Athletic Club, A. & S. Highlanders, is to be given to-night. With prices reduced, smok tinople.

The N.C. Daily News of the 23rd April says persons wanted in pursuance of a regular -Great regret was expressed in the Settlements of official calls. yesterday at the news of the death, which occurred at Hankow on Tuesday afternoon, of have taken rouge or embarked in mail Mr. William Forbes Sharp. Mr. W. F. Sharp boats, and, in case of necessity, searches may was one of the oldest residents and most popular mon at Hankow and was very well known in be carried out on board such vessels by the Shanghai, and liked wherever known. The competent authorities. The only formality surviving brother, Mr. Charles S. Sharp, is now in Hongkong.

It has an area of 64 square ri and is rich in ages they are surrounded with. Governor to each port of call), a provision to which no Nakano favours the idea of emigration, and there dustrial enterprise.—

The Mercury translates the following item the enjoyment of the privileges conferred from a native paper :- Intelligence from Shansi by this article the respective Companies reports that rich deposits of iron and coal have been found in the prefecture of Cheh-chew. It is now proposed to open up mines in the five districts of Fung-Tai, Koa-Ping, Yang-Shu, Ling-Chuen, and Shing Shan in the Cheh-Chow prefeeture. The local capitalists have reported the find to the provincial authorities begging them of a company for the purpose of working the mines.

> The Hyogo News writes :- The Japanese in Benhosheku came to Kobe and contracted with Mr. S. Tanaka of the Tanaka-gumi to charter one or two trips most successfully, and if this snocess continues the Company will charter three steamers to run between Jinsen, Fusan,

The Japan Mail has the following note: -On Wednesday, the 11th of March, the New York Sun which is published every morning, contain ed an excellent portrait of the Hon J. F. Swift who had died the preceding evening at? o'clock in Tokyo. This was a remarkably quick feat of they shall be permitted to return freely, journalism, though of course the great difference in time between Tokyo and New York must be taken into account. Something similar, though spective ports." Thus, while insurance less striking, was accomplished by the Choyo Shimbun. Its present editor, a gentleman o exceptional attainments and ability, visited the United States Legation in the afternoon of the day succeeding Mr. Swift's death, and asked for a photograph of the deceased Minister. No copy was available, however, and the editor had o go in search of one elsewhere. He succeeded for in the Choya of the following morning a There is one point on which the conclusion | capital likeness of Mr. Swift appeared, accompanied by a full account of his life.

> It is satisfactory to find that there are at least two high Chinese officials who have become a little slive to the value of time and sensible of the comforts afforded by steamboat travelling. In the Peking Gazette of the 1st April appear the following :- Chang Chih tung and the Provincial Examiner of Hupeh ask for permission to allow the latter to proceed by steamer to conduct the examinations at Chingchow and Ichang. They describe very graphically the extreme inof conveyance; the long delays beating up against longings run of being lost or damaged by water. The Examiner mentions that on former trips l coolies have been drowned by mistaking the paths, and all the inhabitants having fled before the water no accommodation was to be had for every way be a saving, no risk would be run, the journey would be accomplished in two or three days, and the students be saved the vexations while awaiting the arrival of the Examiner who has met with delays and difficulties on the road.—

It is reported from Takow (says the N. C. Dailn News) that the Taotai implicated in the to afford facilities for marine sorters to recent entrage on an American hong has been so the next step taken was to announce that the ly recall, the words he used in public case advantage in my presence at it when I have For our own part we are inclined to think it cable between Tamsui and Foochow was broken, when I was leaving the Colony a year ago. already said all I have to say on the subject. would, but when the matter was last men. and no notice was given of its repair; even after It is only because I am of opinion that this Then you go on to say:the Chinese merchants declared that they had letter was signed hastily that I have asked you . "It was very unfortunate that your Excelany definite agreement the Government and this accontustes the neglect of the naval been read carefully and the whole circum- "there is any adequate reply to the arguments tion. And then again there is another more out of deference to the susceptibilities of any would, we think, be well advised to take a authorities, who leave the island unvisited by stances have become known, will, I venture "put forward by Mr. Keswick, Mr. Whitehead, formal vote of the Council on the subject, men-of-war for years. It is over two years since to say, be taken by all those outside for "and the unofficial members generally, they of Commerce. A considerable—time has attention will be paid to this apparently forgot—present here because he is about to succeed me Now, in the first place, it does not seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some some because he is about to succeed me Now, in the first place, it does not seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some some because he is about to succeed me Now, in the first place, it does not seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some some some because he is about to succeed me Now, in the first place, it does not seem to me portions of the policy I recommended, so far expensive seems to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some some some seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some some seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some some seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have some seem to me paragraph imply that I have s and also to obtain the views of the Chamber that there is a new Admiral on the station, more I have asked His Excellency the General to be "comprehensible shape." proposed arrangement was arrived at, and in the way of the opening of Chungking, be- be present in order that for all parties con- me further on the matter perhaps I may bring You begin by saying:—They can hard the part I took at a time when my career opinions of the unofficial members and of cause be disliked foreigners settling at a port cerned there may be an accurate report of what you, at all events partly, to see things in the the Chamber of Commerce may in the port within two days easy steam of Hongkong ments as occur to me on this letter. I must rather been suddenly sprung upon the Government an The Daily News announces that Mr. Carles, | see how the foreign residents are getting on.

The annual meeting of the members and seatholders of Union Church was held yesterday afternoon, the Rev. G. H. Bondfield presiding. The report of the committee of management, including the report of the building committee, was adopted and votes of thanks were passed to the honorary Goosmann), the hon, secretary (Mr. H. McCallum), you myself, and that writing through the Colonial is now justified on the ground that the condithe architect (Mr. A. Denison), and to a com- Becretary was derogatory to your dignity. The steamer Wingsong, from Calcutta, left Sings- mittee of ladies consisting of Mrs. Legge, Mrs. Colonial Secretary is the highest and the only. A most miserable picture was drawn, and existing holders of office; and these were salaries course to take whom I had deliberately come to McCallum, Mrs. Dyer-Ball, Mrs. lolloer here through whom I could properly I venture to say that if that picture were not recently increased but fixed for a long time that conclusion. I knew that it would be an Cobban, and Mrs. Duncau, who raised a address you, and I happen to be able to absolutely true the present condition of the cospecial fund for furnishing the pulpit, platform, give you the view the Secretary of State long would be certainly serious. That is the issue Tament has just commenced. After the heavy and vestries, and superintended the carrying takes in this matter. I know that in more that has now been valued. But I venture to say promised only from year to your under a dif
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leaves and superintended the carrying takes in this matter. I know that in more that has now been valued. out of the work. Thanks were also voted to than one instance the right to address the that the special causes of depression which exist and I know on the carrying of the City Hall for allowing the Governor directly has been claimed, and I know now certainly existed with equal force last these promises should be withdrawn when it can momentary unpopularity I may have gained, and I know now certainly existed with equal force last services to be held in the Theatre while that coessionally the practice has grown up in the church was being rebuilt. After the ordinary certain Colonies with regard to certain offices, seatholders introduced the question of the allowed to continue; but the rule is that all then, and I think those who put forward this tion contrary to reason, that is, that they the respect of the colony. And now, gentlemen, On the 23nd April, at St. John's College, Sanghai, year. Nearly half of the crop, which smounted the wife of J. Rhene Ear of the Netherland Committee on the Netherland Co that a counter petition should be prepared. and when on one occasion a Chief Justice venture to say, considering you are pleased to being a grave injustice because no man would ter. If you do not do so I shall of course Two men whose rendition has been applied for by the Chinese Government were brought up at the Police Court yesterday, the charge being that of burglary and murder. Formal evil. being that of burglary and murder. Formal evil payers. Ultimately a motion was adopted to "official correspondence should pass through the course of the discussion said it had been "consider that it implies anything derogatory be given on the spur of the moment, very credit colony will probably be much altered and that are known and considered I shall be justified to reported that he was going to sign the pention to the differ from you entirely. As to the next paragraph, I do not wish to refer judgment I value. If you do not entirely withdraw it, that Union Church had been assisted by grants "instance, it would doubtless have moderated to questions of consistency. If members think letter—or if you do not entirely withdraw it. of land, and be thought misapprehension on those "the tone of some of those letters which I was not present at the last meeting, beneatly that such a change his occurred since so after it as to make it unobjectionable—I or land, and de unought misapprenension on those the tone of some of those increase of points ought to be removed; both the site in "emanated from the Chief Justice, and I I think it extremely fortunate. Why? Because that this rule be followed in future."

Staunton Street and the present site had been "desire that this rule be followed a principle serious assertions as those made by the hon. I think there is no such want of courage tion, and shall do my best in the few days serious assertions as those made by the hon. rates. The Rev. Dr. Chalmers mentioned that which I know from long experience to be a member I should probably have felt inclined to as that which prevents one from acknow. remaining to me to see that the rapture created he had also been asked to sign the petition, and good one, that where correspondence which have not been in the position then to make a and if you honestly think these increases It has already caused some harm, because it has that he had been requested by some of the contains matter in the least degree. 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There was a good deal of saluting yesterday on the occasion of the visit of the Military Commander-in-Chief at Canton and the interchange Owing to the continued drought it has been considered necessary by the Government to

will be found in our advertisement columns. Haiphong has been suffering from a serious epidemic of small-pox, many Europeans as well as natives suffering from the disease. At the date of last advices the epidemic was rapidly

entrance, Tls. 5. Half-a mile.

SECOND DAY, TUESDAY, 28TH APRIL The CHU-KA-ZA Cur: value. Tis. 100: for China ponies; weight for inches as per scale; winners of one rade since let October, 1890, 71bs. extra; two or more races. 10lbs. extra:

Mr. Chonfleur's False Alarm ... THE SHANGHAI DERBY, a BWCODStakes of Tls being bond fide griffins at date of entry; first pony to receive 75 per cent.; second pony, 15 per cent.; third peny, 10 per cent; weight for inches as per scale. One mile and a half. Mr. Kilmain's Bubbling Well THE LADIES' PUBSE, for China ponies;

weight for inches as per scale; entrance, Tla. 5. One mile and a quarter. Mr. Sassoon's Zephyr..... 1

Tls. 5. Two miles. Mr. Chantrey's Antocrat 1 sweepstakes of Tls. 10 each: second pony to receive 40 per cent, and the third pony 10 per cent. of the stakes; for China Pouiss, bona fide griffins at date of entry; weight for inohes as per scale: winner of the Derby, 71bs.

Mr. Hampton's Comus The Spring Cup. value. Tls. 100, added to a sweepstakes of Tls. 10 each, less Tls. 50 to the second pony: for China ponies that have never won a race; weight, list. for 13 hands; to give or take 6lbs. for every inch over or under. One mile.

Mr. Worthy's Chimera The SHANGHAI STAKES, a forced entry of Tis 5 for all ponies, except those entered in the Roadsters' plate; first pony to receive 75 per cent.; second pony, 15 per cent.; third pony 10 per cent, of the stakes: weight for inches as per scale. One mile and a half.

Mr. Sassoon's Hero The Taorar's Cup, value. Tls.—: presented H.E. the Tactai; for China ponies; weight 12st.; winners at this meeting, 5lbs. extra; entrance, Tls. 5. One mile. Mr. Newboy's Black Leaf 1

The CHAU-SHANG-KIUK CUP; value, Tls .founded by the directors and employes of the C. M. S. N. Co.; for China ponies that have never run at any meeting in China or Hongkong previous to date of entry at each meet ing; to be won at two consecutive meetings. or three times in all, by ponies the bend fide property of the same owner or owners : weight i for inches as per scale ; entrance, Tls. 10 : 80 per cent, of the entrance fees to go to the winner nutil the cup is won, when the second pony shall receive same: the remaining 20 accumulation in excess of Tls. 500 (to be retained for a new cup) is to be paid to the winner. One mile. Mr. Sylva's Teulonio

THE GOVERNOR AND THE

UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS. The following is the shorthand writer's report of the interview which took place on Monday be tween His Excellency the Governor and the unofficial members of the Legislative Council:-HIS EXCELLENCY-Centlemen, I have asked you to be good enough to come here this morning with reference to a remarkable letter

that communication would be impeded in the heard in detail the view which I take of "ject of official salaries and on the financial there was a gunboat at Takow! Perhaps now whose judgment I have the least value. were not then put before the Council in any that was inaccessible to men-of-war. Here is a occurs. I will now proceed to make such com- same light. You must remember that there had where there are always gunbouts getting mouldy reverse the order of things by beginning with lissue that was entirely unexpected. It would be at their anchors, and yet the Admiral does not the last paragraph, which really should have quite easy to understand, however much one see his way to sending one over occasionally to appeared first in the letter you have sent may disapprove, the position that you had me, because it evidently had some influence on voted certain salaries last October and the letter and some effect on its tone. I mean that in consequence of the heavy military the paragraph in which you say, "In conclusion contribution you found yourselves in the position

with their request to telegraph to the Secretary "State to withhold temporarily and until ho " can be memorialized his approval of the pro-"posed increase of official salaries in the Colony."

You then go on to say:— "The unofficial members regret extremely "that your Excellency should, apparently withfurther curtail the water supply. Particulars "out any sufficient reason, have delayed your "reply to their communication for a week, and should have, ugain without reason assigned, refrained from holding any meetings of Coun-oil for so long an interval. They regret this the more as your Excellency's approaching departure will evidently prevent the possibility

Let me ask you to consider the position. At the severely taxed a few days before, under circumlast meeting of Council Hon. Mr. Whitehead attacked at length on a large number of points derany circumstances therefore I should not have the present condition of the Colony. He attacked not only the position of the Colony, but I venture to say that he attacked its in the morning and before H. I. H. the Czarooredit. Now, I need hardly say that a serious witch's intimation reached me I had informed attack of this kind coming from so responsible a quarter requires the most enreful consideration, attention, and respect. Most careful enquiries 15 each, with Tls. 100 added; for China ponies had to be made to discover whether the facts mentioned by the hen, gentleman were correct or not. I had to get returns from a number of quarters, and it has taken time and inbour to prepare them. I had to go over these with the most careful attention to see whether the hon, member's statements were true or not, and if they were true to come forward and tell you, however much we might regret it, that such was the condition of the colony. I need hardly tell you The Race Club Cup, value, Tis. 150; for China | that it required very careful consideration and a ponies; weight for inches as per scale; winners | very long time to prepare the statement to lay be at this meeting of a race of one mile or under, fore the public and the Council in a way to carry 3lbs. extra; over a mile, 7lbs. extra; they have a right to expect. Now the wor penalties accumulative up to 10lbs.; entrance, of this Colony has of late years enormously increased, and a conscientions Governor has to give many hours a day of close attention to the The CONCORDIA CUP, value, Tls. -; presented more administrative business, and it is only baby members of the Club Concordia, added to a cause my failing strength has rendered it imadditional time required for despatches and legislative business, as well as for taking a satisfactory part in the social life of the Colonv-I say, only on this very account that my duty to give up my position here. Now, considering that most of you know, for it

was commonly known in the colony, what was my present condition, and considering that I am about to depart from an honourable position two years before the proper time for bringing my administration to a close, and at the same time to end a pareer which I might reasonably have hoped at all events would have extended for some years longer, I think even the smallest particle human consideration would have prevented you writing this letter and throwing upon me an im putation such asthis paragraph conveys. I have simply not held meetings of the Council because thought that not a single meeting should take place after such statements had been made without the Government being in a position to say whether they were correct or not. It was simply because I was absolutely unable in the time to finish the statement I was preparing consistently with performing the other work which

falls to me every day that I have not held meetings. However, as I told you in my las letter. I had intended to hold meetings this week, and before I received this letter I had fixed on tomorrow. Now, my course is largely dependent on the result of this meeting. It is impossible to say what it may be, but at all events I have quite determined that I shall not leave the colony without giving in some way the full statement I have prepared. As to opportunity for discussion thereon, that will be abundant whether I am here or not here. Now with reper cent. to be allowed to accumulate, and the gard to not holding meetings you say a little further ou:--"They regret this the more as your Excel

"lenoy's approaching departure will evidently "prevent the possibility of the discussion in Council of any statement you may be preparing on the subjects now under consideration." Now you have rightly gathered that I an making such a statement, but it seems to me that my presence in this matter is matter of very small consequence. It does not seem to me that my presence in the Council will in any way affect the matter because when you have from me my deliberate expression of opinion and the whole facts placed at your disposal you will have porfect liberty of discussion whether I am here or not, and even if you had not that liberty in the Council you can prionee the same effect by giving your views which I have received from you, a letter which to the public. You have nothing to do but to I need coarcely say caused me much surprise, send them to the newspapers. The hon, mem-After giving the matter-careful consideration ber who raised this question of salaries write I have been forced to the conclusion, which out his speeches at length as is usually the case I sincerely trust is correct, that you have signed | with all good speeches, and it seems to me that travel with the mails between Saigon and making frantic efforts, through the indispens- this in haste, and possibly with reluctance, for all practical purposes he might just as well Case. For Bot. Hongkong. This will save from two to able go betweens, to get the foreigners' com- in the short interval of engrossing private busipredore to admit that he was in the wrong, but, ness, and that you have thus given insufficient Council. And the other hon, members, who have three hours in the sorting of the mails on of course, nothing came of the attempt. Just consideration to this letter and have thus failed usually done little beyond agreeing with him, it arrival. On the other hand the Colony will after the trouble began it was announced that to appreciate its taste, its tone, its matter and its they have not the time to write speeches themhave to pay the salaries of the marine sorters the land-line was interrupted between Takow effect. I cannot think this can be otherwise selves might simply express their more or less and Taipeh Fu, the object being to stop com- than the case with man with whom I have qualified assent. I therefore do not see that and the other attendant expenses, and the munication with the mainland. It leaked out, hitherto been on friendly relations, from there is any great loss in the absence of such question presents itself whether the saving however, that there was constant telegraphing some of whom I have received kindness, and a discussion in Council in the present heated going on between the Taotai and the Governor, as to one of whom I shall always grateful- atmosphere; nor that there would be in any

six months imprisonment with hard labour was Peter's Church, the Roman Catholic churches, cedence to the Governor so far as the present I cannot help thinking that the writer considered what he was writing and I can might possibly have been avoided. But at all present I cannot help thinking that the writer considered what he was writing and I can might possibly have been avoided. But at all present I cannot help thinking that the writer considered what he was writing and I can might possibly have been avoided. But at all present I cannot help thinking that the writer considered what he was writing and I can might possibly have been avoided. But at all present I cannot help thinking that the writer considered what he was writing and I can might possibly have been avoided. But at all present I cannot help thinking that the writer considered what he was writing and I can might possibly have been avoided. But at all present I cannot help thinking that the writer considered what he was writing and I can might possibly have been avoided. But at all present I cannot help thinking that the writer considered what he was writing and I can might possibly have been avoided. reters Unuren, the geometric controller, cedence to the colony are concerned, that of that paragraph could not have fully consider- scarcely think it possible for him to have events, the good feeling of the community and Union Church performed three quarters of people of the colony are concerned, that of that paragraph could not have fully consider- scarcely think it possible for him to have events, the good feeling of the community the whole work done amongst the poor without there was anything derogatory to your dig- ed the matter. Moreover, I cannot think written it in the wisw of hoping to achieve in such cases will attribute my defects to their the one side than to the other. But truth to the other. But truth to the other tell, it seems to possess very little rine what salaries as their European control time was anything derogatory to fine matter. Moreover, I cannot think written at in the was anything derogatory to fine matter. Moreover, I can aimply say that true cause, and I shall go away, whether popular any assistance from the State whatever. The nity, but since the matter in the least but with the passing of the that I feel that I was right in doing so on the discussion terminated with the passing of the that I feel that I was right authority I have just read you. I will graph easting an unworthy imputation upon me, withdrawn or changed, my action, whatever it respect of a community to which I have honestly resolution given above, which it was undertood high authority I have just read you. I will graph easting an unworthy imputation upon me, withdrawn or changed, my action, whatever it respect of a community to which I have honestly resolution given above, which it was undertood high authority I have just read you. I will graph easting an unworthy imputation upon me, withdrawn or changed, my action, whatever it respect of a community to which I have honestly resolution given above, which it was undertood high authority I have just read you. I will graph easting an unworthy imputation upon me, withdrawn or changed, my action, whatever it respect of a community to which I have honestly resolution given above, which it was undertood high authority I have just read you.

The Japanese cruiser Kongo, Captain S. "the 21st instant, in which in reply to theirs of intention. Now, what are the facts? I presume no information as to my intentions, "Breach and a state of the st Hitaks, arrived here yesterday from Constan. "the 21st instant they are informed, by direction the papers that "be, as your Excellency being a lawyer very tinople."

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to which I have been recently subject, and I was unable to leave my sofa and receive my guests. Now, when you knew that I think you might have supposed that my condition for two. or three days would not be such as to enable me aftend any such meeting as that, and that that was my reason for not attending the Council.

creditors. I shall give my reasons claswhere. Now we pass on to the next paragraph:—

'Unofficial members Council disentisfied with financial position and prospects; request post-

clines forward telegram. 'ment within this financial year of the increased 'salaries, to suspend its operation until the Me-'merial they are now preparing, your Excellency's mitted to and considered by him." until I have spoken on another paragraph, where a similar spirit is more completely shown.

I cannot with regard to the next paragraph putations on my character :-

serious imputation in the statement. "Breach of foreign Power. That was the course I took "contract there is none whatever, and cannot be, when I believed the colonists to be in the right. "as your fixcellency, being a lawyer, very well Her Majesty's Government were generous, how-"knows" This unmistakably suggests and other over, and having become convinced of the rea-Sir Thomas Wade tells us that he put difficulties ment, and I have also caused a reporter to it was very fortunate—and when you have heard I well know to be practically impossible, norship of this colony. That gentlemen, is "seriously when you propose to let the enhanced career is about to close, when I have nothing "the unofficial members submit for your Ex- that you were unable to confirm this vote now. be impossible. Here, as well as in other places, fortunate promise made, and when I came to con-" cellency's consideration if the Acting Colonial That would have been intelligible. But the I make an explanation simply on the assumption sider other facts which were put before me, such "Secretary is the proper channel of communications on has been almost entirely changed, that you have not weighed the meaning of your as the enormous extent to which the British sub-"tion between your Excellency and the un- The military contribution has been left out or words-and I say therefore that I know of no ject within England is taxed in excess of what you "official members of your Conneil." I presume almost entirely left out of the question, for such impossibility. I know within my own are taxed here, I felt I could only take the course you mean that I should have written to the withdrawal of these increases to salaries personal experience of two colonies where the I have done and recommend that you should business of the meeting was concluded one of the and that for certain reasons it has been sent position of the colony that did not exist tice to efficials. I think this involves a supposi- calmly, I know that I shall not lose one icts of "Colonial Secretary's office where the official plies received from the Acting Colonial Secretary hat he would get. That would be a very real shall in this case at all events feel that I had

ly you may have seen it stated that I could not I did not say "breach of contract." If you have had much the matter with me as I took turn to my letter you will find I say "some. become public property there is no use in "tract." Moroover, gentlemen, I do not use on that day, and when he warned me of his lish as apart from the legal signification. It intention I venture to think that in the means an obligation, and there is such a thing absence of very strong reasons to the as a moral obligation as well as a legal obligation. contrary I should have been perfectly You are quite right in saying that I know justified in not appearing in Council on that ac- perfectly well that there can be no legal contract countaione. It does happen, I say, that the Czare- where there is no consideration. I did say witch did call and spend at Government House and I do say now, that apart from its legal signia considerable part of the afternoon; and he fication there has been a moral contract made, and "The unofficial members will be very glad to "hear your Excellency's reasons in Council and "if possible to be convinced by them, but, they "must insist upon your Excellency, before any increased salaries are naid this year, submitting "to the Secretary of State their arguments still "unanswered, as well as your reasons, and obtaining his final decision. It is their right as 'your Excellency's advisers on financial matters, and your sole advisors in a question so nearly "affecting the official members. They did. un-"fortunately, towards the end of last year vote "these salaries, without having before them any "definite or intelligible statement of the finan-"cial position of the Colony, but there is still "an opportunity open to them to reconsider "the matter, so long as the proposed increases "are waiting senetion." This, taken with other passages of this

whether its writer intended to achieve its apparent object; for it is difficult for me Now, the next paragraph says :- "The unofficial to conceive, his believing that any repremembers hope that your Excellency will are sentative of Hor Majesty would be so range for at least two meetings of Council abject, I may say so craven, as to submit to to be held before your departure for the dis- dictation of this kind. As I have said before cussion you have so often invited of the position I shall do what I believe to be right in this matand prospects of the Colony and its resources." | ter without the slightest reference to this letter I have already said a good deal on the subject of or anything contained in it. Now, gentlemen, discussion. When the military contribution having commented so far on your letter, let me was being discussed I twice invited discussion, say again that I have received it with exceeding which was declined, and in the statement which pain as well as surprise, pain not because I intend to put forward I think I thall be able of the unworthy imputations and disrespect to give my reasons for saying with reference shown—those I could afford to disregard—but to this question that the question at the present that such a letter should come to me from moment is simply one whether the colony is in | men with whom I have been, as I have said, on such a truly hopeless condition as to be unable such friendly relations up to this, the end of to pay the salaries this year, and at the same my career. That causes me very great pain time discharge in full its obligations to its other | indeed, and I felt surprise as well as pain, that the letter should have come from any members of a community which I have served to the best "As your Excellency has refused to wire the of my abilities for the last three years. As Secretary of State, the unofficial members said before, I cannot believe that you, or that all have done so themselves in the following of you, when you signed this, considered the effect of a great many of these words, and would have addressed to me a letter, to me above all others, to whom you have yourselves pone increase Salaries; further consideration hitherto used strong terms of consideration required preparing Memorial. Governor de- and respect. You, have addressed me a letter not only disrespectful, absolutely dis-"They have now formally to request your Ex. respectful in many passages, but containing in cellency, in the event of a despatch being receive it not one single word indicative of respect ed from the Secretary of State authorizing pay- from beginning to end. It was matter of surprise to me that you should address such a letter to Her Majesty's representative at all, and as I said before I cannot views on the subject about to be submitted to believe that you entirely thought of the

remarkable letter, leads me gravely to doubt

Council, and the consequent debate be sub- effect of your words. If this letter is withdrawn I shall be most anxious to do anything think I will defer what I have to say on this in my power to bring about that harmony which before existed, though it is scarcely possible to believe that any person who could write such a letter as this would be conciliated believe that it was intended to imply what it by anything I could do, nor do I feel as regards unquestionably conveys, that is two grave im- the writer, whether he is one of you or not, that I have any great desire to conciliate him. I am cer-"The anofficial members are still very decid- | tain, however, that some of you could not have edly of opinion that the financial position and thought of the effect of your words, and I sinprospectaof the colony are not such as to render | cerely trust that you will take this opporit prudent to grant just at present the very tunity of withdrawing thom. Whether large increase of salaries now proposed. disrespect was intended or not I am happy They can hardly think that your Excel- to believe that in this matter at all events lency speaks seriously"—speaks seriously! you do not represent the community. It is only -when you propose to let the enhanced a year ago that on leaving the colony I received amounts be paid this year as they have been universal expressio s of regard from the whole voted, and to consider the advisability of an | colony, yourselves included, and I can conscienequally large reduction (I never spoke of an | tiously say that I have done nothing since to equally large reduction,) when the estimates for | justify any less of that respect. I am glad to next year are laid on the table. That, as your know that I have not forfeited the respect Excellency well knows, is practically an impost of the colony. Had I any doubt on the sibility. An increase of salaries once voted and subject the numerous and touching communipaid must stand. To act as you propose would cations I have received since the news of my be a very grave injustice to the officials. No approaching departure became known would man would know from year to year how to adjust | dispel any such doubt. Moreover, I had every reahis expenditure. No injustice can be done by a son to believe that I had your respect also until delay in payment now and in a reconsideration | the rise of this unfortunate question of military of the whole question, for as the increases have | contribution. Now, had I been a mere timenever yet been definitely sanctioned no man has server it would have been an exceedingly easy a right to calculate on it. Breach of contract thing for me to have simply passed this vote as there is none whatever, and cannot be, as your instructed without my allowing the public to Excellency being a lawyer very well knows. The suppose that I approved of it. In that case unofficial members are by no mans opposed to I was perfectly aware that I should retain "an increase of salaries to such an extent as is my popularity. I had, moreover, special temp-"right and proper and called for by the in- tations to take such a course, seeing that my creased cost of living and as far as the colony's | carrer was almost finished, and that I should there, finances will permit, but they feel strongly by have avoided an imputation of inconsistency "that, granted that they signed a report recom- but unfortunately honesty would not allow of mending an increase, it was a mistake to make such a course. In the last colony I was in, "the increase equivalent to 35 per cent. in many Newfoundland, when I believed the interests of "instances. One of the unofficial members in- the colonists were seriously threatened I did not deed objected to so large an increase in Do- hesitate to use to Her Majesty's Government on "comber last, when there was still time without | their behalf language which it was commonly sup-"inconvenience to have the whole subject inves- posed would have caused my being recalled from my office. I said to Her Majesty's Government The first imputation is a very serious one. It with reference to their deliberately and frequently tioned in the Legislative Council the tentone Chinese merchants declared that they had letter was signed hastily that I have asked you intortunate that I had not the whole one before them I trusted
to the Legislative Council the tentone Chinese merchants declared that I had not the whole one before them I trusted
the Legislative Council the tentone Chinese merchants declared that I had not the whole one before them I trusted dency of opinion seemed to tend rather in Hongkong, and Japan. Residents at Takow fear of reconsidering your position after you have part in, the last debate in Council on the sub-spoken otherwise than seriously in an official I had put the whole case before them I trusted some way if there were any trouble at the port; this letter, a view which after this letter has "position of the colony generally, and that, if is a very grave and utterly unwarranted imputa- British subjects would no longer be disregarded

> "amounts be paid this year as they have been further to expect from Hor Majesty's Govern-"voted, and to consider the advisability of an ment except what must come in due convec in "equally large reduction when the Eslimates any case, I need hardly point out that I have "for next year are laid on the table. That, as special inducements to take a popular course "your Excellency well knows, is practically an with regard to this colony. But when I came "impossibility." That is, that I have deliberately to consider the whole facts contained in the Sesuggested a course of conduct which I know to cretary of State's despatches, apart from the unof the committee to take action should they "papers of the Colony are recorded. The condeem it advisable to do so. The Chairman in "venience of this course is obvious, nor do I hensible indeed, and considering they had to it be really the case, that the circumstances of the certain, as I said before, that when all the facts reported that he was going to sign the petition "to the dignity of the Chief Justice. If such able ones to the officers concerned. I venture you will not be able to grant it him any further. public opinion, I mean the opinion of these whose

ever in times of peace. The right of search 3,500 year for every engagement he makes with was not to be regarded as antagonistic to the now proceed to deal with the other portions of which, whatever may be the intention, it cartainly may be, will not be in the smallest degree in and strenuously devoted the best effortsofmy fail-

siderate, it was certainly not intended to be so. It was a deliberate expression of opinion. However that a publican had no vested interest in the one side of which scats were placed, so that a publican had no vested interest in the one side of which scats were placed, so that a publican had no vested interest in the one side of which scats were placed, so ed. The wounded man is doing fairly well.

you might object to that opinion, I see nothing licence and that in the case of justices that no one should turn his back on Royalty, the objectionable in the form of conveying it. dealing with a renewal of licences and more numbers being estimated at 149. The room was the allight of the meeting when we received the came the dominant licence.

notice. The unofficial members would like time to confer together. HIS EXCELLENCY-Very well.

to be disrespectful. hear the avowal. I can only suppose the application. that you could not have considered your

Hon. P. RyBIE-About the people at home being taxed-His Excellency-That is a side issue. Do considered the establishment thoroughly undenot bring it in. One word more. I know sirable and the locality wholly unsuitable. The that withdrawing is an extremely difficult thing application would therefore be refused: always, but more especially where the extraordinary course is taken of publishing a letter of this kind almost simultaneously with its receipt. But at is scarcely necessary totall you that when you feel as you must now do, that your position is a wrong one, it shows the highest moral contage not to hold to it but to withdraw from

sufficient to say they are not meant.

The meeting then closed.

GRAND ASSAULT-AT-ARMS IN THE CITY HALL.

on Monday night, to which it is to be regretted Cochin-China. more civilians did not turn out. The performance was under the patronage of His Excellency. little regret the news of the approaching departies and of General Barker. The nro. ture of Mr. Coombs, the amisble and genial agent, to get the season's teas, so as to be able to gramme opened with a satisfactory exhibition of or directour as he is termed here, of the Hongkong dumb-bell exercise by a squad of some dezen and Shanghai Bank at this port. Mr. and Mrs. men, who were followed by another squad as ex- Coombs will be greatly missed socially. Mrs. pouents of the feats that can be done on parallel Coombs's cheerful lawn tennis parties have done boys, one of whom had the appropriate name of J. L. Sullivan. After a sufficient amount round of life here, so apt, to induce the nostalof nommelling of each other, they were succeeded gia which is common in Cochin-China. Mr. by Sergt. Dyos and Lance Corpl. Inglis, who Coombs proceeds to Manila to take the agency gave a capital exhibition of quarter staff;" A squad of men ovinced careful training in sword exercise, their movements being simul. many friends, and carry with him to the Philiptaneous Fencing and ancient combat received pines the best wishes not only of all the Eurogood illustration from Liout Grant and Corpl. M'Laughlin; while the heavy weight boxing of Privates Hanley and Stewart, in which the Saigon. former was victorious, left nothing to be desired Physical drill by a squad of boys under Sergt. Major Williamson was carefully gone through. as was also the next item. " vaulting horse," by a squad of men. Some excellent feats were then performed on the horizontal bar, which gave place to a single-stick combat: by Colour-Sergt. Brown and Sergt. Dyos. followed by a goneral melée in which interesting feature of the programme, and bay- H.E. Chang Chih tung, Vicercy of the Hukuang, onet exercise was accurately performed. Bay- in the Chinese man-of-war attached to this staonet w. bayonet by Privates Fiddes and Stewart, tion at once steamed down the river to meet him. and the light weight boxing between other two and went on board the Prince's vessel to welcome members, we creditable exhibitions. The the distinguished strangers, the first-heirs to sailor's hernpare was neatly danced by J. L. European thrones who have ever visited the Sullivan, and the mounted combat was sufficient- heart of China. Great crowds had gathered ly amusing to please all. The programme closed above the barriers and lined the shores amidst with "A Scene of Life on Active Service," re- the firing of salutes, and the British Concession alistic enough in all conscience. The vagaries with its fine central arch and long rows of of the clowns throughout the performance caused flags and pennants presented a very animat-

THE SUICIDE AT VICTORIA BARRACKS.

plade this evening.

MAGISTERIAL ENQUIRY. concerning the death of Pite. James Wallace. who committed suicide on the 25th inst. by shooting himself in Victoria Barracks.

The following evidence was taken :called me and said that a man had shot himself commerced between nine and ten o'clock, was ebony case screens with all manner of scenes of thence to port N.E. and E. winds with light at Victoria Barracks. I went up and found deceased. He was dead. I found a hole in the skull behind. The mouth was out death to a bullet wound. I had the body shores were crowded with spectators, and the brought, to the mortuary and examined it. through the palate and through the front part. of the occipital bone, then passing through the cerebellum. Death must have been instantane-ous. The bullet was found in a wall behind but he never appears to have been seen in a fit beats, amidst salutes from the Red Fort and long looking the most effective, whilst the Chinese and fine weather. In Swatow strs. effect that he generally had fits after he had been

Pte. Wood. A. & S.H. said-On the 25th inst. 9.5 c.m., I was on the veraudah of the barracks and heard the report of a rifle. I ran to the the luncheon itself was elaborate the greenery upon the Bund. Then the Viadiwindow, and looking in saw a man sitting on the and lengthy as the menu printed (in French) on postock started down river followed by the bed with the muzzle to his breast. I called silk testifies: After luncheon the combany ad- Koreyetz and the Bobr, the Tehheing with out to another private, who came and looked in Journed to the upper pavilion to enjoy the view large gathering of the Russian community, and and said it was Wallace. and breeze ere returning to Hankow.

Pto. Herbert, A. and S. H., said that on hearing: the report of a rifle he went to the Ser-

was a self-inflicted bullet wound.

LICENSING MEETING OF THE JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

pose of considering the application of Carl English perfectly, and a little before eight appear. Thursday, and arrived at 10.10 a.m. on Friday Heinrich Wallace for a licence to sell intoxi- ed the Czarewitch and Prince George of Greece, at Woosnog, where Russian and Chinese men-of cating liquors as an adjunct to his business as with a great following of uniforms; the Russian war saluted and manned yards.—Condensed from restaurateur at No. 15. Wellington Street. Charge d'affairce, M. Kleimenew, acting in the Daily News. There were present Mesers, A. G. Wise (Chair- absence of his Chief Count Cassini, having come man). R. Chatterton Wilcox, Granville Sharpe, especially from Peking for the occasion, and one or G. Horspool, Acting Captain Superintendent two others being in diplomatic uniform. They had of Police? A.B. Hooper, and W. M. B. Arthur | been detained at theentrance by a Chinese deputa-(Clerk). Mr. Parkes, of Mesars, Caldwell & Wil- tion from the Tea Guilds of Hankow, and the kinego, was for the petitioner.

which appeared to be thoroughly satisfactory.

his protection and hospitality to Chinamen enMr. HORAPOOL said the only objection of the gaged in the tea trade in Russia as also thank. Who made the assault on Mr. Burns, and the Police was that the place was not required. ing the Czarewitch for having come to Hankow, demand not being complied with, they left the Mr. SHAHP presented a petition from the Inde- the centre of the toa industry. The speeches works in a body on Sunday the 12th and came pendent order of Good Templars of Hongkong. were translated by Mr. Startseff, who had come to Tientain, where they reported themselves to The petitioners stated that in the locality were for the occasion from Tientsin, and who also the British Consul and claimed his protection April 10, Ned. str. Princes Marie, Hubert, Direction of wind wery few persons who would benefit from the served as interpreter when the Prince replied and assistance. The Consul informed the Feb. 28, from Amsterdam for Batavia. granting of the licence, there being already a that he would tell his father. The beautifully men on Monday that he had already seen 10, British str. St. Dunsten, Phipps, Feb. 28, sufficient number of licensed houses in the dressed deputation then disappointed everyone the Micercy, who had sent up peremptory from Shields for Batavia, centre of the town. The only class of persons by withdrawing, and not essisting at the dinner, orders to arrest the ringlessers and bring them that Mar. 18, from Manila for Sandy Hook. would be merchant seamen and men from the Army and Navy. The Barrack cauteens, his mother's eyes and forehead, but his father's following day and advised them to be ready to provided for the wents of such persons. Peti
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Provided for the such persons and forehead, but his father's following day and advised them to be ready to li tions to the same effect from the Scamen's disposition. It seemed to be at his request that it was not till the 16th that they received | Il. Ned. bark Senior, Schots, Mar. 19, from Branch of the Church of England: Tem- the various ladies were presented to him, in the stelegram from the works stating that the Sourabaya for Akyab.

not a letter that should have been addressed to them to the meeting. Me might say, however, golden nails he sat between Mesdames Dmitrev- way to Shanghai. Messatime the Colliery had from New York for Hongkong. them at all. I dare any you have a copy of it that he thoroughly concurred in the petitions. sky and Speshiloff opposite to Prince George of seeing esting on quite well without the En. 13. British ship Traveller, somewhere, and I should like it to be read.

In support of his argument he referred to a Greece, who declined a similar gelden chair which repeats. What the upshot will be is yet un. from Sourabaya for Rangoon. His Excellency—If it appeared incon- judgment on appeal in the House of Thords, had been prepared for him. There was an ther certain, but strained relations between the men If it was so I must bear the discredit, especially in granting new ones, if such es- most elaborately draped with red, blue, and white, But in any case it is inconceivable that any tablishments were deemed by them unneces- the Russian colours, and all round it stood tall possible view of it could justify the letter you sary they had perfect right to refuse any flowering plants in pots, pink peoples showing have written! However, it must remain. Perapplication for a licence. The application was out especially, and palms being placed behind haps I had better retire while you consider.

application for a licence but for those whom the Royal seat. The decorations on the table Hon. P. Rynig-I do not think we can come | took pains to study the subject, it was apparent to any conclusion at once. We did not know from experience that the adjunct licence be-

Mr. R. C. Wilcox objected to the granting of a licence on the grounds that the place was unnecessary and the locality, undesirable. The Hon. T. H. WHITEHEAD—Let me assure granting of a licence to a similar establishment your Excellency that nothing was further from in Pottinger, Street appeared to have established our intention when that letter was written then is kind of precedent for applications of this kind. Unfortunately he was unable to be present on His Excertency-I am very glad to that accession or he should certainly have opposed

Mr. SECTION HOOVER thought that Mr words. Litera scripta manet. I am very glad Granville Sharp had introduced a religious eleto hear anything of the kind, but I must mentioto the question that was quite out of point out that this letter, whatever its inten- place. Personally he had no objection to the tion is gravely disrespectful—and, I might use a licence being granted, but if the Police objected stronger epithet said be fully justified in doing and there was a general opinion that the place so. When such expressions are used it is not was really undesirable in that locality, he should oppose the granting of the licence. The Justices after a short deliberation in private announced through the Chairman that they

SAIGON.

[FROM A CORRESPONDENT.]

His Excellency the Governor General and Mdme, Piquet left here for France by the mail steamer Salazie on the 13th inst. Rumour has it that M. de Lanessau will be sent out as Governor General in room of M. Piquet, and M. As briefly noticed in yesterday's issue, the Elobukosky, soff in law of the lamented Paul Lorne Athletic Club, A. & S. Highlanders, gave Bert, at present French Consul at Yokohama, a thost successful assault-at-arms in the City Hall, will replace M. Danel as Lieut.-Governor of

> The community here have received with no much to brighten up the dull and eventless of the Bank there. He will leave behind him peans but also of the Chinese merchants of

THE CZAREWITCH'S VISIT TO

HANKOW.

HANKOW, 20th April.

H.I.H. the Czarewitch with H.R.H. Prince George of Greece reached Hankow about eight o'clock on the morning of Sunday, the 19th inst a number of combatants whacked one another and was received with royal salutes by the Britto their hearts' content. Ring exercise was an lish and Chinese gunboats anchored off the bund. no and of ampsement. A second performance was ed appearance. After receiving the visit of given yesterday afternoon, and a third will take the Russian Consul on board, his H.I.H. landed at the specially prepared covered way leading to the central arch, and drove to the Greek church, where divine service was conducted by a Russian the Vladivostock at luncheon, and visiting the theless found it slightly out of harmony Archimandrite from the Mission at Peking. He tiffined with his fellow-countrymen at Mesers. Molotkoff's hong and returned to his vessel for this truly magnificent entertaiment will Legation into welcome concord with the times the afternoon. In the evening a diplomatic probably never be known; the initial estimate and its circumstances.—Japan Mail. An enquiry was held yesterday at the Vagis dinner was given at Mesers. Molchanoff's at of Tls. 10,000 for the dinner has certainly been tracy by Mr. A. G. Wise into the circumstances which the members of the Consular body and far over stepped. The carpet for it alone i others had the honour of dining with the Prince, said to have cost Tls. 1,000 and if the illuminacovers being laid for forty. The Bund was tions of the Customs buildings alone cost Tls. most brilliantly and successfully illuminated, 2,000 that gives some clue to what that expense throughout. and after dinner the members of the Decoration Dr. Smythe of the Army Medical Staff said _ Committee were presented to His Imperial

exceedingly effective. This morning the Czarewitch and Prince George returned the Viceroy's visit at the Temple sonné work and gold for Prince George of 22nd April, had pleasant S.E. winds and light about and I would put; down the cause of at the foot of the Hanyang kill. The hill and Greece. scene, with its fifty Chinese gunboats, its regi-The bullet had entered the month and passed ments of soldiers lining both banks and its gaily decorated Temple and approach was very striking in the brilliant sunshine. About noon the Czare the great luncheon had finished beneath a most witch and his party went on board a Chinese man- brilliant awning of flags on the deck of the 23rd April, Amoy 24th, and Swatow 27th, had the yards. The vessel then steamed slowly up Russian, I English, and I German, manned and cloudy weather. From Swatow to port more Benares (Old) lines of gaily uniformed soldiers lining both shores of the Yangtze. The Vicercy received his guest and conducted him to the entrance hall soldiers in orange, scarlet, and green, making where light refreshments were provided before them look like so many brilliant parrots among

Last night the banquet given by the Russian Prince. the bed with a rifle close by again t the wall. great success. It took place in Mr. Moletkoff's vate nature, and great was the disappointment He was quite dead. He had known him for spacious godown, which was specially fitted up of the Chinese crowd that the Czarewitch in seven years. He had seen him save at times in for the occasion. The Russian firms with truly felt hat and tweed suit was dressed just like any fits. He saw him shortly before he died. He princely magnificence invited every one, and did other foreigner. But here again nothing could was sober and seemed all right. Last year he everything just as handsomely as it could be surpass the good behaviour and good-humour of had a fit and fell over a verandah. He did not done. They had a Franch cook up from Shang- the Chinese. Carpets were put down, and hai, they had ices, and the waiting was as good soldiers of the district uncommonly tall for Sergeant Irvine said that on the 25th inst. as the dinner, and rendered specially effective Chinamen with big black turbans, and pictures. deceased was in his bunk clearing it up. Wit- by all the servants being dressed alike with que uniform like court cards lined the landing. ness went down to the guard room. About half official caps and long gowns. Guests were shown stage, their quaint tridents being stacked at an hour later he went upstairs and found that into what appeared to be an elegant drawing. intervals. The English Consul, and the Comhis rife had been discharged. Deceased was room with silk curtains of Liberty shades, orange missioner of Customs, were the only outsiders about 24 years of age. Deceased was subject to and yellow, the walls covered with a quaint invited to what was otherwise a purely Russian fits. He was not in the habit of drinking, but a cretome of fereign make but for the Chinese reception in the Russian hong of Molchanoff, small quantity of liquor would bring on these fits. market only, therefore Chinese in character. Pechatnoff & Co., where again a beautiful ex-He had not heard that deceased had any money Every one of the foreign community seemed to hibition of porcelain and silver, Kinking have lent his best chairs and lamps, a specially specialities, had been get together, as also by the His Worship found that the cause of death beautiful Chinese screen occupying one corner, house of Tokmakoff, Molotkoff. & Co., and of and the effect was quite that of a drawing-room, both of which the Prince bought largely. especially when all the new gowns ordered for the occasion with court trains took up their positions. But the cakueka room beyond, all of yellow oretonne, curtains and all, had a yet prettier meeting of the Justices of the Peace was gretted they also did not take sakuska. Crowds of board the Chinese man-of-war Kaichi amid royal held at the Magistracy yesterday for the pur- Naval Officers arrived, the Germans all speaking salutes. The Prince left Nauking at 2 p.m. on

The CHAIRMAN said there was no Police objection he regards the character of the applicant, speeches thanking the Emperor of Russia for works at Tongshan having demanded of the

were confined to leaves arranged in H's and A's. H. being the Russian N. for Nikolai. There to Goje, both of Yamato. were a few tocats proposed by M. Maligin. but no regular speeches, although the Czarowitch said a few words of thanks when his health was drunk. The guests went into dinner to the sound of the Boulanger March, and the Prince's

Band played very agreeably at intervals, especial when the toasts were proposed During dinner with really magical quickness a red carpeted estrade, or colossal Opera, Box, was erected at the entrance to the Banqueting Hall, and to this the whole party adjourned a bably intended for a courtyard, being intricate to admire at any distance, letting down cascades of lanterns, and troops dolls, that-danced in the heat. Though more elaborate they were less romantic than

those of the night before, set off from boats, and thus gaining from the reflection in the water. But the illuminations were quite fairylike, and Hankow Bund never looked so well before and Mr. Thyen's lanterns were certainly the most fantastic and varied in colouring. And many the confectioners, who only receive five yen a people gave them the palm, although others pre- month. ferred those of the Hongkong Bank, and probably taken all together the Russian Hongs were the best decorated, the Consulate being the most elaborate. A special feature of the dinner was the ex the Mikazukiya, went into the shop of Innishi, hibition of Chinese products, carefully got to a draper, of Honmachi, on the morning of the

most beautiful silks, soft Hankow velvets. ivories official buts stuffed birds; and one room devoted to an exhibition of the whole method of preparing brick tea with models of the old original hand-presses, as also of latest steam press. this last turned out by Mesers. Boyd & Co., all of which last were presented to the Czarewitch. present exquisite samples, and the young lest picked thus early had turned out so satisfactory that some of this ten was valued at Tls. 4,500 the picul, or nearly £6 the pound. But the general exhibition was in a long gallery, running parallel with the Banqueting Hall, and matting, extraordinarily effective from the hold. ness of the design and beauty of the colouring.

and trained in the form of Chinese monsters with liers with dolls all round moving in the heat, and artificial; while the whole gallery was sweet with the smell of evergreens, and fresh young tea. the Chinese to be looked upon as the most much to the general effect. Before the hanquet Viceroy at the picturesque temple at Han-yang. Czarewitch recoived on his steamer on arrival, and

What the Russian Colony has spent on of the illumination must have been.

I saw the deceased at 9.55 a.m. on the 27th inst. Highness, who repeatedly expressed his thanks ceedingly handsome. Besides the silver from the hai 24th April, had light S.W., winds and dull was in Wellington Barracks and a private and gratification. The display of fireworks. Russian Colony at Hankow there are two heavy hazy weather from Shanghai to Ockseu; from the hai 24th April, had light S.W., winds and dull Russian Colony at Hankow there are two heavy Chinese life carved in ivory for presentation to drizzling rain and dense fogs at times.

> pervaded by a spirit of uncertainty, of which an winds and cloudy overcast weather up to Turn. This year's New Malwa \$490 explanation may soon be apparent. All day about, and thence to port thick cloudy weather Lastyear's New Malwa \$500 there were conflicting rumours. Meanwhile and passing fog banks with N.E. winds. looking the most effective, whilst the Chinese Swater, Newchwang, and Yikeang. looked very original. At last the sun set in orange brilliance behind a mass of Chinese the Yuenwo with the privileged few who were to get down to Kinkiang to prepare for the

gental Quarters. He saw deceased bing on community in honour of the Czarewitch was a At Kinking the reception was of a semi-pri

At Nanking great was the array of flags lin-The Vicercy visited the Czarewitch on board effect; and was of so becoming a hue that ladies re- the Vladivostock and the visit was returned on

TIENTSIN.

perside Hocisty, of which Rev. A. G. Gold-order in which they happened to be standing.

smith is President, and from the Hougkong A special table had been prepared for the down to Tientsin. The men therefore resident from New York for Estavia.

Branch of the National Temperacce League, Carewitch, but he requested to sit with other turned to the works by the first train on Friday.

12. Austrian ship Armida, Ivancich; Dec. 9.

13. Italian bark Dragnette, Schlaffine, Dec. 7. of which Rev D. Hamilton is chairman, were people, so his seat was placed in the middle of the 17th. When they arrived ley soon found from London for Samarang.

A little over yen 300,000 out of the 500,000 required having been subscribed, the Naniwa Railway Co. will be established. The company's line will begin at Takata, and extend.

It cannot be said that the people of Osaka lack public spirit. They are about to expend 4 000 yen on the improvement of the Nakanoshima park, and have drawn up estimates for improvements and extensions of the park, the ultimate cost of which, apr ad over a series of years, will amount to 60,000 yeu. Mr. T. Taketa, a well-known merchant of Jakai-machi, is about to launch out into a big enterprise. He intends establishing a tea factory

at Hyuga, and will have agencies at Viadivostock. San Francisco, and New York. So great faith has he in his ability to do a large trade with Russia that he has already sent his two sons, mere lads, to Vladivostock to learn the language. Very significant is the rate of wages given to employes in Osaka. The highest paid are those who cut out dresses and clothes in the foreign style, and these receive one yen a day, whereas | On Paris.these who make native dresses only receive 30 sen a day. There must be a brisk demand for foreign habiliments among the Japanese for such | ON GERMANY.possibly never will again. Where all had done terms to be given. The next best paid are the their best it would be invidious to specialise, but printers and earthenware makers, who each receive 50 sen a day, while the lowest paid are

A shocking story of fraud and murder is re- On Bonsay -ported from Osaka, A young man about 26 years of age, calling himself K. Kobayashi, ricemerchant of Hamamatsu, who was staying at gether by the house of Tokmakeff, Moletkoff & 15th April and purchased some cloths of the Co. at their sole expense. There were many value of 48 year, requesting that the articles might be sent to the hotel, when he would pay cowhide boxes (another Hankow speciality), for them. A shop-boy, 16 years of age, was Sovereigns, Bank's Buying Rate 6.25 sent, and went to the stranger a room..... Kobavashi (was seen to leave the hotel taking the articles with him, but the boy did not come down. On search being made the proprietor found his body in a closet, where it had been placed by Kobayashi after the boy had been strangled with a towel. The murderer has not

On Saturday evening, the 18th April, a ball was given in the Rokumeikan by His-Excellency the Chinese Minister. An unfortunate accident Chinese Loan '84 C. too elaborately decorated for description. It was entered through a screen of painted Canton one time feared that he would not be able to be Cruickshank & Co.... present at the ball; but His Excellency braved Dairy Farm Co. the suffering of a badly scalded foot, and Fenwick & Co., Geo., though not in a condition to stand, managed Gordon & Co., A. G.,... There were all manner of rampant trees, dwarfed from his invalid's place on a sofa to discharge Green Island Cement false eyes and large lolling red tongues, and red all the duties of a most genial host. His Ex. H. Brick & Coment. drapery on their backs. And there were chande. cellency was admirably assisted by Madame H. & C. Bakery Sienkiewicz, who, in the absence of a Lady Li, Hongkong & C. Gas. chandeliers formed of flowers both natural and kindly played the part of hostess with all her Hongkong Electric... well known sunniness and grace. The party H. H. L. Tramways. Hongkong Ico. was eminently successful. Remarkable as the H. & K. Wharf & G. About midnight the Princes were sent off first instance of a general entertainment given H. Steam Laundry... between flaming torches of Bengal light, held in Japan by a Chinese Representative, the new Hongkong Rope..... by the various gentlemen, and this seemed by departure inspired good humour and satisfac. H. & W. Dock. tion from the outset, and all seemed auxious to Hotelscurious part of the proceedings. In spite of the distinguish the occasion in the manner deemed barricades to keep them out a great part of the Bund most likely to please their hospitable host. was a serried mass of Chinese, and there were manely, by enjoying themselves thoroughly. thousands of boats lining it, and adding very Whether by happy accident or skilful calculation much to the general effect. Before the happynet the number of guests just sufficed to fill the the Princes had lunched for five hours with the fine suite of rooms without crowding them, and the dancers were consequently able to enjoy Chang Chih-tung's visit had been the first the themselves in a manner very unusual at such entertainments in Tokyo. It goes without saving this luncheon was his return call. During his stay | that the decorations were beautiful and the supin Hankow the Prince of course inspected the per excellent. Within the very short period of manufacture of brick tea, and duly congratulated the house of Tokmakoff, Molotkoff & Co. on their 25th anniversary. He also found time to go over the Roman Catholic Convent, and eramine all the industries taught the children there, as also to give a handsome donation. His first titude of the Representatives of the Middle Revenue and the content of the Representatives of the Middle Revenue and the content of the Representatives of the Middle H. Land Investment Revenue Land & Building act on landing had been to go to the Greek Kingdom in Japan had been one of more Church among his Russians en famille; as he expressed it, and he went there again on his last and the public, while fully recognising that good day, besides entertaining all the Russians on reasons might be advanced for this habit, neverwith the fashious of the capital of modern Japan. The present Minister's new departure brings his

> SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Siam, from Bangkok 21st April, had light easterly winds and fine weather!

The last day of the Czarowitch's visit was airs, and experienced moderate S.W. to N.W.

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from New York for Saigon. 15, Amr. ship Granite State, Barston, Jan. 5, from Philadelphia for Hiogo. 16. British bark Stanfield, Clark, Jan. 7, from Bangkok for Batavia. 16. British ship Andelson, Gillis, Jan. 13, from New York for Shanghai. 16, British str. Argus, from the East for the

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